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DelDOT Announces Appointment of Rehoboth Beach Entrance Improvements Working Group

Dover, Delaware – Today, the Delaware Department of Transportation announced the appointment of a 28-member Working Group that will assist the Department in developing specific transportation improvements for the entrance to Rehoboth Beach. Members of the Working Group represent a cross section of local government officials, community and civic leaders, business owners and residents in the Rehoboth Beach area.

The Working Group will provide suggestions, review alternatives and make recommendations to the Department for improvements to the transportation system at the entrance to Rehoboth Beach, especially at the Route 1 and Route 1A (Rehoboth Avenue) intersection, and for connections between Rehoboth Beach and surrounding communities.

The first meeting of the Working Group will be Thursday, February 5th at 6:00 p.m. at the Big Fish Grill at 4117 Highway One in Rehoboth Beach.

The Working Group is one aspect of an overall public outreach effort that includes a number of "listening tour" interviews in the community, public workshops, and other community outreach. In addition, the Department is coordinating with appropriate Federal and State resource agencies to identify and protect environmental and cultural resources.

If you would like more information, the Department has established a web site for the project at www.deldot.net/static/projects/rehoboth_entrance/ or you can contact DelDOT Public Relations at 1-800-652-5600 (in DE) or 302-760-2080.